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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director, ORE
Assistant Director, OSI

SUBJECT: Proposed Watch Committee - forwarding of Revised
Draft of 4 August 1950

REFERENCE: (a) AD/ORE subject draft, CIA No. 32438
(undated) received in COAPS, 2 August 1950

1. An examination of reference (a) discloses that this revised draft fails to reflect the comment supplied by the IAC agencies, upon the draft under date of 6 March 1950, forwarded to them by COAPS. And further, it is considered to be undesirable to incorporate reference to DCI 4/2 in paragraph 1, in view of the controversial status under which it will probably be laboring for an appreciable period. Also, paragraph 8 of reference (a) has been deleted for the reason that its inclusion merely introduces one more hurdle of an independent character, which will surely operate to impede the successful coordination of this I.O.P.

2. Accordingly, the attached draft which is a COAPS revision, calculated to overcome the deficiencies expressed above, is forwarded for your examination with the request that any additional comment that ORE and OSI may desire to make, be presented orally as early as practicable.

PRESOTT CHILDS, Chief
Coordination, Operations
and Policy Staff

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